Lou Miller has gone to Albany to stop a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Delia Ho-

Miss Lily Rockwell was called to Bolton, Que., the 3rd, to attend the funeral of a friend.

L. Darling of Albany and Albert Hartwell of Jeffersonville were in town over Sunday.

Will Loux and Missie Healey went to Lowell, Sat., October 3, and were married by Rev. L. P. Atwood.

Rev. Joseph Buzzell has moved his household goods to his home here, where he will make it his home for the present.

William Sinclair has some very good corn, and last Tuesday night some one helped themselves to about seven bushels.

Willis Beadle of Manchester, N. H., is visiting in town.-Florence Davis of Laconia, N. H., is the guest of her friend, Nellie Laurin.

On account of the storm the open lodge was postponed until Wednesday, Oct. 14, at which time a musical and literary program will be given, followed by a promenade. All are invited.

About twenty-five friends of Mrs. Nettie Miller gave her a complete surprise, Saturday evening, Oct. 3rd, it being her birthday. A pleasant time was passed in visiting, playing games, etc. Cake, coffee and grapes were served. A lovely Dresden china dish was given her as a reminder of the occasion.

North Troy.

Wm. Bashaw has an increase in his pen-

S. H. Page attended the reunion of his old regiment at White River Junction.

Rev. David Wallace of the Cong. church has resigned and expects to go to Hartford, Conn., where he resumes his theolog-

The grand stand at the trotting park is being removed, and a part of it will be used in the construction of Will Porter's new buildings.

Westfield. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis are at work for E. J. Courser.

M. W. Scott has returned to his home in Richford.

A picnic party visited Hazen's Notch last Friday.

A. J. Cranford dislocated his elbow one day last week.

A. H. Hoyt is better.-Erwin and Lynn Clark have been enjoying a season with

William Wilson, who lives near the Notch has purchased a farm in Hardwick. He will move there soon.

Simon Hitchcock raised an apple of the Wolf River variety which measures 12x131 inches and weighs one pound. Next.

Rev. L. P. Atwood goes to Builington this week to attend the State Sunday School Convention as delegate from the Cong'l Sunday School.

Fred G. Edmunds, who represents the town of Norton in the General Assembly, is a native of this town, having been born here in 1866. He is the son of Wm, Edmunds who still resides here.

Mrs. Mattie Miller of Newport visited in town last week.—Stella Gilman is in Mansonville caring for Mrs. Ben Sisco.-Mrs. W. B. Gilpin and Mrs. C. W. Bryant visited in Derby recently .- Mrs. Thurber of Burke has been visiting here.-Miss Harriet Winslow goes this week to Georgia, and from there will return to Boston .- A niece of Mrs. A. C. Hitchcock has been here from Burke on a visit.-Mrs. N. C. Hoyt and Mrs. Ellen Miller visited in Montgomery recently.

Westmore.

Capt. Averill has put his boat into win-

A new cottage is being built in the C. Atkins grove.

Vernon Arkley has hired out and moved n with J. C. Buswell of Barton.

Horace Beebe has taken Fred Smith's place on the poor farm in Barton.

C. J. Trefren is building a barn near his ummer cottage.-J. W. Hyde is making epairs on his buildings.

Miss Harmon will supply the pulpit at he Cong. church, Oct. 18th, and will remain here for the present. It is expected hat she may get here by Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Zoe, wife of John B. King, died Sunday morning, Oct. 11, after a long and hard sickness. She leaves a husband and nine children. She was a woman much esteemed among those who knew her, and her loss will be deeply felt. day p. m.

CALEDONIA COUNTY.

East Burke. Alva Gilson has set up a cobler's shop in one of Mr. Watson's tenements.

L. A. Darling is quite ill.-Mrs. Amidon

and Mrs. Colby are both failing. Geo. Austin is at home and expects to

a barber's shop in the basement.

West Burke.

Mrs. Perry Porter is in a critical condi-

Mrs. Lucy Hartwell is at Boston for a -Herald.

couple of weeks. Charles Marshall from Worcester, Mass.,

was in the place over Sunday.

Mrs. Byron Berry returns this week from her visit to Olcutt Falls.

There was a harvest concert at the M. E. church last Sunday evening.

Will Lovetoss has moved his family to Newport, where he is engaged in the lum- vanced quite rapidly of late. Meanber business.

W. Gaskell is repairing his house that he has lately bought of L. Warren, and has rented it to Carl Dean.

Wm. Booth fell one night last week and and there are hopes that they may be struck on his head, cutting a severe gash,

and being otherwise injured. Clark Kimball has moved into the Geo farm products.

Smith house, and Roy Roundy from Hardwick has moved into the Brickett house.

Richard Boyce, father of A. R. Boyce, died at the home of his son Oct. 6th, aged 88 years. Funeral services at the M. E. church Thursday, Rev. G. H. Wright of-

Hardwick. The Electric Light company has com-

menced stringing wires. Landlord Spaulding's daughter has the typhoid fever, also L. C. Foss.

The bakery changed hands last week, Mr. Kimball selling out to Sanford Hook-

The railroad is completed to Robinson's Mountain, and trains are now running on Hon. H. H. Powers was in town last

week on business appertaining to the Miss Etta Rogers, daughter of Judge

Rogers of St. Johnsbury, is making friends a short visit in this vicinity.

East Hardwick. Mrs. Charles Wilson of Danville is visit-

ng friends here. Rev. G. P. Byington is away taking his vacation, and Rev. Mr. Briar of Olcott supplied the pulpit last sabbath.

Sneak thieves continue their operations, W. L. Dow lost two bags of oats last Sunday night, when some men were seen prowling about the village.

J. E. Wentworth and wife have returned home after quite a long visit in the

Ira Jesseman sold all his personal property at auction last Monday. He has sold his farm to Mr. Still of Burke.

Mrs. Joseph Peavey, who has been sick for some time with erysipelas, died Friday and was buried Saturday. She was 66 years of age.

Charles Taft, a former resident of this town, who has been in the lumber business in N. Carolina for some years, was in town last week. He is here for his health.

Lyndonville. Harry Hunter has moved into one of C. J. Bundy's houses on Main street.

Conductor Ernest Brown and bride have returned here and are boarding at the

John Murch goes to Boston on business this week, and will also visit his old home in Bridgeton, Me.

en school at her residence Monday, with a good number of children in attendance.

Henry Graves of Chicago, with his two daughters and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Mann, have returned home after visiting his sisters, the Misses Graves, a few weeks.

The railroad shops are running six days a week, beginning Monday, October 4, working on nine hours time. This arrangement will probably continue until after McKinley's election.

Hon. S. W. McCall and wife of Winchester, Mass., visited her mother, Mrs. S. S. Thompson last week, Mrs. McCall will remain for a few days. Mr. McCall was unanimously renominated for Congress by the eighth district republicans last week.

Wheelock. A little girl at Chas. H. Snelling's.

Jacob Day and wife are visiting in Hard-

L. N. Cree has gone to Barton to work W. G. Sanborn, the new miller, is giv-

ing good satisfaction in the mill.

his barn. C. Gray is doing the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie are at home again, after being absent about three weeks.

A. Ranney is getting everything ready at the hotel for a grand opening in the near

meeting, Saturday, Oct. 17th, 10 o'elock a. m., at the town hall in Sheffield. The marriage of Ernest Brown of St.

Independent Grange will hold their next

Johnsbury and Minnie Simpson of this place is announced to occur Oct. 14th.

Island Pond.

Friends assisted Mr. H. N. Webster to procure a horse last week to replace the one he lost two or three weeks since. Mr. Webster feels very grateful to his friends for their kind help in this matter.

Mr. Penfold has rented a tenement in the James Cooper house, and has moved his household effects. We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Penfold as neighbors. Mrs. Penfold and children arrived here Wednes-

G. E. Clarke started for Montpelier last Tuesday as representative for this town. His son Robert E. accompanied him, having been appointed messenger or page in the House, an appointment which gives great pleasure to all his friends and asso-

Nathan Hobson and wife celebrated spend the winter at his father's, Rev. A. G. their golden wedding last week Wednes day. Their numerous friends would have Henry Mathews has bought and moved | been glad of the opportunity of making a into the Amos Lowell house, and will open public demonstration but the poor health observance of a midsummer rally by each of Mrs. Hobson forbade it, so the occasion town organization, and rally Sunday in was only a quiet family circle gathering. We hope next year things will be different. All, however, do extend hearty congrat- hospitality of the people of Island Pond. ulations and felicitations in the enjoy-Mrs. Emma Cheney is very sick at Burke ment of 50 years of wedded life, and hope presented in a very practical manner by

> In spite of the excitement and un- one of the most practical and helpful concertainness incident to the political condition of the country, there is a slight improvement in some lines of business. There is an improvement in the price of cotton, which has advanced one cent, and wheat has adwhile silver, the one thing necessary for happiness with the popocrats, has fallen in price. Several manufactor. ies in New England are starting up able to run during the winter. There is a small increase in the price of

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The annual meeting of the Orleans County Sunday School Convention was held in Grace M. E. church, October 1 and 2. Owing to the fact that Brighton is so far removed from the center of the district, and also to the unfavorable weather, the representation from the churches was not so large as it otherwise would have been, but the meetings were much enjoyed, both for their spirituality and practical help. Space will permit us simply to call attention to a few of the prominent features of the convention. A very spiritual service of song and prayer and the transacting of necessary business took up the forenoon, and the convention really began Thursday p. m. with the address of welcome by Porter H. Dale, which was most hearty and eloquent. He compared the meeting of those connected with Sunday school work to the pleasure of meeting at our firesides, friends of past days associated, as the school is, to memories of youth. He considered the Sunday school as auxiliary to the church as the greatest organization on the face of the earth, the Bible as the book of all books in which is bound all that is best in literature and poetry, and welcomed the delegates above all else because of the memories of that book. To this welcome Mr. D. M. Camp of Newport responded. Then followed a discussion of the question, "Who should be in the Sunday School?" opened by Bro. Blake of the Barton Monitor, who asserted that everyone should between the ages of 5 and 90, though "the world doesn't seem to think so," for it is a strange fact that people are least interested in matters most important. He wanted the children brought in early, the boys and girls kept in, the old not neglected, closing with a touching allusion to the saddest of all wrecks, that of a vessel just outside the harbor on the homeward voyage. After interesting discussions of this subject and those immediately following, Mr. Camp gave the history, and so far as known the results of the recent canvass which was made with the view of bringing Orleans county into line with the rest of the counties and thus make Vermont a banner Sunday School State, all its counties canvassed and organized. The report showed 63 per cent of children and youth from 5 to 20 in the Sunday School with 30 per cent of the adult population who do not attend church at all. Mr. Camp expressed himself as gratified with the hearty re-Mrs. Anna Pearl opened her kindergart- and pastors with but few exceptions to ticket; that the spell which at one his call for the canvass in behalf of the County Union. The convention in its turn expressed itself as entirely satisfied with Mr. Camp's efforts and highly com-

mended his efficient work. As we expected the address Thursday evening by Rev. F. N. Peloubet, D. D., of Boston called out a very large audience. importance of finding the brightness in all conditions, of looking for the bright features in place of the dark ones in all re- takes place Nov. 3. ports of work attempted and accomplished. Among the signs of the approaching dawn of better things in Sunday school attitude of the church toward the school and especially toward the children. While especially for the old folks the modern suitable rooms for the children. Another sign of advancement toward the dawn is the seeking of better training for the A. Gray is putting in stone work under about lergely by means of Normal classes and teachers' meetings. His apt illustra- well. tions, bright stories and familiar conversational method combined to make the

> address a most enjoyable treat as well as incentive to thought. Friday was given up largely to practical discussions on methods of work, all of which were very helpful. Perhaps the best of these discussions was that on "How to increase the number of Bible students," very brightly opened by Mrs. C. W. Tenney of Barton, who emphasized the need of prayer and persistent personal efforts as prime factors in succeesful work.

The convention adjourned at 3.50 Friday | but write now. afternoon, the chairman summarizing the leading thoughts brought forth, as the need of a house to house visitation, Normal classes and home departments connected with each Sunday school.

The officers for the ensuing year are: President, C. F. Ranney, Newport; secre- Martin. tary-treasurer, John R. Akin, Newport; executive committee, Geo. H. Flint, Newport, W. W. Foster, Barton Landing, W. T. Kilburn, Derby.

The following persons were elected as delegates to the State convention held in Burlington: Mr. S. D. Hobson, Island Pond, Rev. J. C. Langford, Coventry, Rev. W. E. Douglass, Rarton, Rev. John Vance, Newport Center, Mr. C. F. Ranney, Newport.

Resolutions were adopted expressing satisfaction with the results of the county canvass and pledging a hearty support of the remaining work, recommending the September; a method of gaining uniform statistics; and a hearty recognition of the

The topic on intermediate work was they may enjoy many happy years to come. Miss Richards, of Newport, this was followed by a general discussion and the singing of the doxology brougyt to a close ventions held in many years.- Essex Co.

> The Ihdam, a journal of the Turkish government, publishes an inspired statement that France and Russia are resolved to maintain the integrity of Turkey and the statuquo in the East. It declares that Austria concurs in this line of policy. The statement refers to an article published in the semi-official North German Gazette, to the effect that Germany supported the sultan and to the fact that the Baron Von Saurma Jeltch, German ambassador to Turkey, presented a photogarph of Emperor William to the sultan a few days ago, as proof of German friendship for Turkey.

PROBATE COURT.

The following business was transacted in probate court during the past week: Laura P. Crandall estate, Brownington. Commissioners' report returned and ac-

Myrtie A. Chamberlin, minor, Newport. Thomas C. Gale appointed guardian.

Harvey Lewis estate, Glover. Appraisers' inventory returned and accepted. Almira H. Goodrich estate, Newport. Will presented for probate by C. G. Goodrich, executor therein named. Referred

to October 24th, at Newport. Joseph Drew estate, Glover. Appraisers' inventory returned and accepted. Myrtie A. Chamberlin minor, Newport. Guardian's inventory returned and ac

Caroline Fisk estate, Barton. Commissioners' report returned and accepted.

Henry C. Stannard estate, Lowell. Appraisers' inventory returned and accepted. Clarence E. Geer, of Derby, a minor, adopted and made heir-at-law of Alexander and Cener Kayo; said minor to hereafter bear the name of Clarence Edward Kayo.

Harry W. and Carrie E. Sawyer, minors, Manchester, N. H., to wit, of Derby. Lyman A. Gale, guardian, settled his final account, wards having attained their ma-

Daniel Coburn, minor, Craftsbury. P. G. Hodgdon, guardian filed his release and discharge as such guardian, by ward, who

has attained his majority. Riley S. Tollman estate, Craftsbury. Ad-

ministrator's inventory and accepted. To within a short time the Bryanites have fenced in New England, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, and claimed all the rest of the country as sure for the Populist ticket. Now the news comes that they have withdrawn their speakers from the state of Ohio and given up that territory to the "enemy"; also that Altgeld admits that his election in Illinois is uncertain, and that the Democratic national committee conceds Indiana to be doubtful. Bryan himself has given up the conversion of the "enemy's country" and is soon to retire beyond the Mississippi. It is apparent to even the Popocratic campaign managers that Bryan's travelsponse made by superintenedents, schools | ing circus is not making votes for the time seemed to enchant the country in favor of repudiation is now broken. The high water mark of the free silver movement was reached just after the Chicago convention, and, from that time to this, the campaign of education has been making votes for He took for his theme, "With our faces the Republican ticket. When Mr. toward the dawn," and emphasized the Bryan retired beyond the Alleghanies he began his retreat, which will not stop until his overwhelming rout

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BIRTHS.

In Albany, Oct. 9, a son to Mr. and Mrs Bert

MARRIED.

In Barton, Oct. 7, by Rev. M. C. Henderson, Charles G. Woodbridge of Cliftondals, Mass., and Miss Ursula M. Willard of Barton.

In Glover, Oct. 10, by Rev. J. McDonald. Henry H. Skinner and Miss Roberta E. Stiles.

In Lowell, Sept. 28, by H. D. Stannard, J. P., Henry Clifford of Irasburgh and Miss Lydia Moffat of Coventry.

DIED

In Westmore, Sept. 27, Mrs. John B. King. aged 66 years and 3 mos. In Fall River, Mass., Oct. 8. Patrick Cam mings, late of Barton.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. Estate of Henry Somers.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Hon. Probate Court for the District of Orleans, Commissioners, to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Henry Somers, late of Irasburgh, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purposes aforesaid, at the dwelling house of Mrs. Anna Somers, on the 2nd day of November and 3rd day of May next, from one o'clock, p. m. until four o'clock, p. m., each of said days, and that 6 months from the 2nd day of November A. D. 1896, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allow-

Dated at Irasburgh, Vt., this 7th day of October, A. D. 1896.
O. G. PAGE, Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BARTON NATIONAL BANK, at Barton, in the State of Vermont, at the close of business, October 6, 1896.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts. Loans and discounts, U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits, 37,500.00 3,550.00 Stocks, securities, etc., Banking-house, furniture & fixtures, 6,059.42 Due from approved reserve agents, 10,892.86 Notes of other National Banks. 1,265.00 Fractional paper currency, nickels

and cents. 101.15 Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: egal-tender notes. 4,115.00 . S. Certif's of Dep. for legal tenders. 12,640.88

Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer (5 per ct. of circulation), 1,687,50 \$282,619 68 LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in, \$150,000.00 urplus fund ndivided profits, less expenses

4,812.30 National Bank notes outstanding, Individual deposits subject to check, Demand certificates of deposit, 33,750.00 42,184.11 Cashier's checks outstanding, 7.147.91 STATE OF VERMONT, / I. H. K. DEWEY, COUNTY OF ORLEANS, SS. (Cashler of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that

the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. K. DEWEY, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of October, 1896. J. N. WEBSTER, Notary Public.

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